



PATENT Attorney Docket No. 10/718,683

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	;	
Francis PRUCHE et al.		) Group Art Unit: 1614
Application No.: 10/718,683	;	) ) Examiner: Leslie A. Royds
Filed: November 24, 2003	;	) ) )  Confirmation No.:  3211
For: COMPOSITION FOR KERATIN MATERIAL COMPRISING AT LE COMPONENTS, AN PROCESSES	_, EAST TWO	) Confirmation No.: 3211 )

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed April 13, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the election and remarks below.

## **REMARKS**

In the Office Action, the Examiner requires that the claims be restricted to one of the following two groups:

I. Claims 1-57, 66 and 68-69, drawn to a coloring composition for a keratin material comprising at least one coloring agent and at least one component chosen from a component (B) comprising at least one acidic composition and a component (C) comprising at least one alkaline composition, classified in class 424, subclass 63 or 70.6.